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DEFINITION

The primary service provider (PSP) approach to teaming is a family-centered process for supporting families of young children with disabilities in which one member of an identified multidisciplinary team is selected as the PSP who receives coaching from other team members, and uses coaching as the key intervention strategy to build the capacity of parents and other care providers to use everyday learning opportunities to promote child development. (Rush & Shelden, 2012)

ARTICLES, BOOKS, & HANDOUTS

[Checklists for Implementing a Primary-Coaching Approach to Teaming](#) (Shelden & Rush, 2009)

[Characteristics of a Primary Coach Approach to Teaming in Early Childhood Programs](#) (Shelden & Rush, 2007)

[The Early Intervention Teaming Handbook: The Primary Service Provider Approach](#) (Shelden & Rush, 2013)

[Strategies for Effective Teaming and Collaboration](#) (Shelden & Rush, 2014)

Handout from presentation and the Inclusion Institute

GUIDANCE FROM PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

[DEC Recommended Practices](#)

Division for Early Childhood of the Council for Exceptional Children

[AOTA Practice Advisory on the Primary Provider Approach to Early Intervention](#)

American Occupational Therapy Association

[APTA Fact Sheet: Using a Primary Service Provider Approach to Teaming](#) (2013)

American Physical Therapy Association

[Core Knowledge and Skills in Early Intervention Speech-Language Pathology Practice](#) (2008)

American Speech and Hearing Association

VIDEO

[Primary Provider Approach \(PSP\) Panel Discussion](#)

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